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# PRESIDENT IS FOR DEEP WATERWAYS

He Addresses Vast Audience in Favor of Extending River Commerce.

## WILL PROTECT PANAMA CANAL

The Executive Also Advocates Conservation of Forests and Wealth of Soil, Advocates Maintenance of Large Navy and Virile Government.

MEMPHIS, TENN., October 4 .- With enthusiastic men shouting the slogan of deep waterways, Memphis threw wide her gates this afternoon to President Hoosevelt and a score of Governors and many other distinguished personages in the Mississippi Valley.

The President arrived on the United States steamer Mississippi shortly after 1 o'clock. The bluffs overlooking the river were packed with people, who gave the chief executive a warm welcome. As the steamer landed the whisties of all creft in the barber thusiastic men shouting the slogan deep waterways, Memphis threw

not allow ourselves to go off halfcocked." When the canal has been
built, he said, this nation would not ask
other governments "kindly not to
bother the canal," but that we would
protect it. "We must have a larger
and highly efficient navy to patrol our
coasts, not only the Atlantic, but on the
Pacific," he said. He urged the people
to disregard party in all purely national affairs.

When the President closed his address he was driven rapidly to
his
train at the Missouri Pacific station,
whence he departed at 5 o'clock for
Lake Providence, La., for a hunting
trip.
In the course of his speech, which
was the longest of his series on this
trip, the President said in part:

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we clap for the Rev. Robert Hunt, who
accompanied the expedition to Jamestown in 1907."

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This is but one of the many projects which it is time to consider, although a most important one. Plans for the improvement of our inland navigation may fairly begin with our greatest river and its chief tributaries, but they cannot end there. The lands which the Columbia drains include a vast area of rich grain fields and fruit lands, much of which is not easily reached by railways. The removal of obstructions in the Columbia and its chief tributaries would open to navigation and inexpensive freight imaportation fully 2.000 miles of channel. The Sacramento and San Joaquin rivers with their tidal openings into San Francisco Bay are parily navigable now. Their navigation should be maintained and improved, so as to open the marvelously clot valley of California to inexpensive traffe, in order to facilitate both rate regulation and the control of the waters for other purposes. And many other rivers of the United States demand improvement, so as better to meet the requirements of increasing production from the soil, increasing manufacture, and a rapidly growing population.

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# Thousands Hear Bishop at Auditorium; Convention Devotes Entire Day to Missions

Carries All Before Him in a Most Masterly Address.

## FEELS AT HOME IN OLD VIRGINIA

Tells How Church Dates Back Before Augustine, and Shows Original Patent Giving the Bishop of London Control Over the Ameri-

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Promptly at 8 o'clock Bishop Gibson is Our Foundation" was sung with an effect, after which the Creed was said with an earnestness and heartiness most impressive. Bishop Gibson then prayed for universal peace, and the religious services were concluded.

The Lord Bishop of London was introduced. Bishop Gibson said:

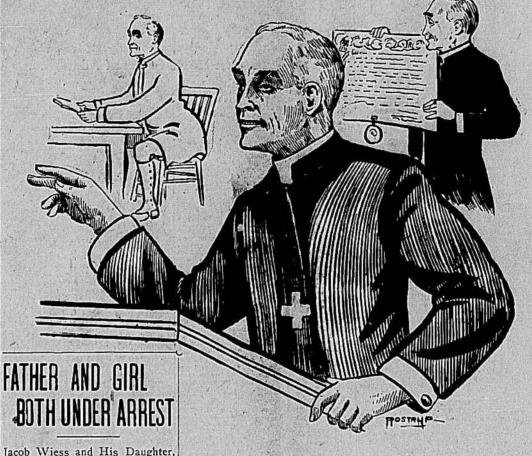
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## Amelia, Locked in Alexandria

Stopped While Returning from Visit to Her Wounded Lover in Washington Hospital.

GIRL SHOWS DEEP DISTRESS

where there are twenty prisoners, among them being five female colored prisoners. The girl's father is confined on it the upper floor of the jail.

It is understood that Commonwealth's Attorney Crandall Mackey expects to secure further information from Miss Weiss which he believes will throw to considerable more light on the mystery.

## STUDENTS AGAINST HAZING

Resolutions Adopted by Several Classes at Chapel Hill.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

CHAPEL HILL, N. C., October 4.—A a meeting of the senior class of the University of North Carolina, held yes terday afternoon, the following resolution was adopted:

"We are gratified to note the

## BARR WILL NOT WITHDRAW

port coming from Washington that James M. Barr, director-general of the Jamestown Exposition would withdraw his resignation was emphatically denied here to-night by none other than Mr. Barr himself. Interviewed on the subject, Mr. Barr in his characteristic way had fills to say and nothing more:

"It (the resignation) has not been withdrawn."

"I will not withdrawn!" NORFOLK, VA., October 4.—The root coming from Washington th

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## HOT BATTLE FOR PROXIES

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I. Harriman and Stuyvesant Fish are earching the country for proxies for ise at the Illinois Central's annual seeting here October 16th, when the light for control of the road will be lecided. Shareholders, big and little, are being sought out and argued over to one side or the other. Even the man owning one, two or three shares of stock is considered important enough to go after with the strongest sort of

# ROBBED PASSENGER

Captain Hawks, a Railroad Conductor, Lost \$639 on Main

Detectives Unable to Locate Money-Many Crooks Arrive

Two Persons Injured By Accidental Shot in Theatre.

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## Addresses Made. WORK HERE AND IN FOREIGN LANDS

Report of Board Submit-

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Bishops Receive Greeting from Archbishop of Canterbury. Brazil Church Would Be Missionary District. Exercises at Bruton Church To-Day.

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And closely connected with this report is, the general secretary of the Board of Missions, one of the most important men in the American church, as all know, the only reason why Dr. Lloyd is not a bishop is because he with the fight between Mexicans and cowboys was in operation, Jennie Porter, who made it possible for Dr. Lloyd to visit of the visiting them during the fight between the work her husband didn't want his body embed as a treation of the population, what has already for him.

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# FATE OF ROWLANDS BE KNOWN TO-NIGHT

Expected That the Double Murder Trial Will be Concluded To-Day.

## CASE OF DEFENSE MADE VERY STRONG

Mrs. Eldridge Smith Testifies That She, Not Mrs. Strange, Was Seen in the Physician's Office - Aconite Was Ordered for Another Patient.

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